

INDIANA AND MICHIGAN STATE HAPPENINGS

TOO MUCH BEER GIVEN
AS CAUSE OF QUARRELElkhart Man Arrested For
Shooting in City After
Picnic Sunday.

News-Times Special Service:
ELKHART, Aug. 1.—Too much beer is said by the police to have been the cause of a quarrel between Leo W. Steinhilber and L. L. Shirley of 1214 South Second street Sunday evening, which, later, led to the arrest of Steinhilber on a charge of shooting in the city.

A neighborhood picnic was held at Yellow creek and plenty of beer was taken along, the police understand. Steinhilber quarreled with Shirley on the way home.

When Officers Bomer and Corner reached Shirley's home at 8 o'clock they found Steinhilber sitting on the porch with a big revolver and a flashlight lying on the porch at his side. One shot had been fired from the revolver.

Someone in the neighborhood had telephoned the police a crazy man was firing a revolver.

Rev. J. J. Beisiegel of the Riverside Christian church has accepted a call for his second year as head of that organization. His salary was increased \$200. Mr. Beisiegel has been very successful in his work.

An impressive church service was conducted on the church lawn by the pastor last evening.

Messrs. Newcomer, Hunter, Secor and Leininger, Mrs. William Mahn and Miss Gladys Yoder have been selected as delegates to the Elkhart Christian conference to be held in the Meridian Christian church near Elkhart August 18-22. Mrs. Mahn is also the delegate to the state Christian Endeavor convention at Muncie in August.

Health Secretary L. A. Elliott has sent notices to hotel and restaurant keepers that they must comply with the recent order of the state board of health, which says that all employees who have anything to do with handling food must be examined for physical fitness for such occupation. The examinations are to ascertain if the handlers of food are afflicted with tuberculosis or venereal diseases that may be communicated in food. A portion of the employees of hotels and restaurants have voluntarily complied with the request for examination.

One man, using different names, is reported to have cashed six worthless checks for \$24 each, purporting to be drawn by Armour & Co. of Chicago, on local dealers last week. Each check was made payable to a different man, but all were the work of one man.

The dealers who were fooled into cashing the checks are keeping their names secret. Some are said to be saloon men and others in different lines of business. The forger was around here all of the week and secured the confidence of dealers by being a "good fellow."

Sergeant Joseph Williams of Co. E has been taken from the camp at Llano Grande to the base hospital at San Antonio to undergo an operation for hernia, according to a letter received today from Major Groll to Mrs. Groll.

Major Groll said that a little more rain had fallen at the camp. The boys were all in good spirits, and were rapidly adapting themselves to the routine of a soldier's life.

FIND HATCHED EGGS

Storage Employees Take Little Chicks Out of Crate.

News-Times Special Service:
ROCHESTER, Ind., Aug. 1.—On opening a crate of eggs, employees at the Beyer Brothers' yard here discovered nine freshly hatched chickens and six other eggs containing chickens which were ready to hatch. The employees were expecting to candle the eggs for cold storage.

HEAT CAUSES SUICIDE
OF GIRL BY ACID ROUTE

Had Made Plans For Her Vacation
When Fatal Act
Comes.

News-Times Special Service:
BAY CITY, Mich., Aug. 1.—Miss Ella Ostray, 17 years old, a sister of Mrs. Roy Scram, stood on a downtown street corner in Detroit and swallowed poison which caused her death in a receiving hospital several hours later. She was a high school girl.

Letters received by her sister here during the past week detailed an intended trip to this city this week. In the last letter she said she would arrive here today. She had moved to Detroit from Tawas City, after a brief stop with her sister here, and was living with her brother-in-law, Rob Hostrander, in Detroit.

Melancholy, brought on by a series of illnesses, coupled with the intense heat are thought to have been responsible for her act. Only last Monday she had left a hospital in Detroit. She was a frail girl and according to her sister had always been peculiarly susceptible to the heat.

BAY CITY HAS THIRD
PARALYSIS VICTIM

Infant Contracted Disease While on
Visit to Be-
lief.

News-Times Special Service:

BAY CITY, Mich., Aug. 1.—Infantile paralysis has claimed another victim here, Teresa, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McClellan, 217 King st., is dead. Two more houses have been placarded and another house from which the placard was torn down is up again by order of the authorities. One new suspected case was reported yesterday.

The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Long, 1807 Broadway, had been visiting an aunt in Yale, Mich., and shortly after her return became ill. The illness proved to be infantile paralysis. Health Officer J. A. Kehoe believes that the child contracted the disease while away.

BOYS BURN TO DEATH
WHILE PLAYING IN SHED

Lock Door From Inside and Die
Before Help Comes
to Them.

News-Times Special Service:
SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 1.—Playing with matches and failure to discover the fire cost the lives of two children.

The dead are: Walter Westlock, four years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Westlock, and Daniel Cherry, four years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cherry. Both families reside at Buena Vista, just outside of the city limits.

The children were playing in the back yard of the Westlock home, and it is thought they had matches with them. They entered an outhouse and locked the door from the inside. Neighbors saw smoke pouring out of the building and turned in a fire alarm.

Medical assistance was summoned, but death had apparently occurred before the door had been forced.

IS KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Farmer's Body is Burned in Barn
Struck by Bolt.

News-Times Special Service:
LEBANON, Ind., Aug. 1.—George Castetter, living near Mechanicsburg, was instantly killed Monday afternoon when a barn, in which he was putting hay, was struck by lightning. His body was consumed by the fire. His helper, Ed McCance, who was inside of the barn, was shocked and rendered unconscious, but escaped serious injury.

INSANE PERSONS
ARE MORE NUMEROUS

Health Commission Says Pre-
vention Now Will Save
Thousands Later On.

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 1.—Money spent now to prevent insanity means the saving of thousands of dollars later on, Dr. J. N. Hurty, state health commissioner, says in a letter he is sending out containing a discussion of the question of insanity.

"Statistics show that the percentage of insanity is slowly increasing in Indiana," he said. "There is evidence, not conclusive, that crime and poverty are increasing. This would not happen under a wise government. These social evils are largely the product of ill health, sickness and disease. Hygiene is the only science which can prevent sickness. Building asylums and hospitals and taking medicines will not reduce sickness. Increased taxes follow more asylums and hospitals and medicine taking.

"There, the state board of health suggests, instead of building asylums and hospitals in which to care for dependents we foolishly make, that a reasonable sum be spent for prevention. Let hygiene have its benefit, and their sickness will decrease, and insanity, crime and poverty, etc., will proportionately decrease.

"It is foolish and extravagant not to practically apply hygiene. The first step to reduce disease is to have an expert sanitarian fully empowered in each judicial circuit to look after the public health. This would be an investment which would return a hundred fold."

FOREST FIRES REACH
SERIOUS PROPORTIONS

Houses Destroyed and Property
Damaged in Upper
Michigan.

News-Times Special Service:
CADILLAC, Mich., Aug. 1.—Fifty men from this city were called to fight forest fires in Cherry Grove township today when three barns and two houses were destroyed.

Several fire fighters were overcome. Fires reached serious proportions in Green Wood, Colfax and Selma townships and valuable timber is threatened. Local lumber companies have organized their camp crews and are using them to combat fires. Damaging fires are burning in Kalamazoo, Muskegon, Grand Traverse and other northwestern and north central Michigan counties.

Unless rain falls, thousands of dollars damage will be done to timber lands and farms in the vicinity of raging forest fires.

CITY WILL LEASE BEDS

Anderson Will Provide For Tubercu-
losis Patients in Lieu
of Hospital.

International News Service:
ANDERSON, Ind., Aug. 1.—Mayor J. H. Mellett has announced that he will put before the city council at its next meeting a proposition for the city to lease a number of beds in St. John's hospital for tuberculosis patients of the city. The plan is for the city to maintain not less than two wards until the county has established a tuberculosis hospital. The mayor expected to appear before the county commissioners soon to urge the building of a hospital by the county.

STATE BRIEFS

International News Service:
WASHINGTON, — William Perrine, nine years old, obtained a revolver to use playing Indian and cowboy during his parents' absence, levelled it at his brother, Omer, and shot him. The wound probably will not prove fatal.

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, — Kind-hearted persons around the court of Justice Monte Ficus gladdened the heart of Mrs. Deign Godfrey, when she was brought in on a charge of having failed to pay her dog tax. It developed that she lives alone on \$12 a month pension money and the dog has been her sole companion.

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, — The Advertiser club gave a special dinner and with a true advertiser's spirit, marked down the price to just \$1.49.

International News Service:
CRAWFORDSVILLE, — The small boy may gain because of objections of property owners to the high board fence around the Wabash college athletic field. It has been proposed to erect a lower stone fence.

International News Service:
BRAZIL, — The Brazil Ice and Cold Storage company is giving an apple shower for the boys that have been swimming in the reservoir pool. The left-overs of the apples that were stored in the cold storage are being dumped out north of the cemetery.

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, — Chemists of the state board of health discovered traces of strychnine in a sample of whisky sent in by Dr. Metcalf of near Rushville. The patient of Dr. Metcalf who drank it said "a friend" gave it to him.

STATE UNIVERSITY HAS
NEW EXTENSION SYSTEM

Classes to be Conducted in India-
napolis—May be Estab-
lished in Other Cities.

International News Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 1.—Indiana university will try out a system of extension classes in university subjects for persons of Indianapolis, which may result in the formation of similar classes in many large cities of the state.

Ray S. Trent has been named head of the extension division here and offices have been established in the Merchants Bank building. The purpose of the plan, as explained by Mr. Trent, is to give residents of Indianapolis and surrounding territory a better opportunity to obtain the advantages which hitherto have been offered only to students attending lectures on the university campus.

Hundreds of persons by devoting two or three evenings a week to class work, under competent instructors, can acquire greater personal culture or increase their earning power and possibly obtain university degrees without in any way interfering with their professional or business activities.

CHARITIES BOARD TALKS
ABOUT POOR ASYLUMS

Increasingly Large Numbers of
Feeble-minded Children Are
in Orphanages.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 1.—Consideration of a movement to provide new poor asylums for Tippecanoe, Hamilton and Johnson counties, to investigate the condition of the institutions in Cass, Vigo, Tipton, Davies and several other counties, and calling attention to the alleged bad conditions of the county jails in Allen, Clark, Clinton, Crawford, Decatur, Gibson, Madison, Putnam, Shelby, Hamilton, Jennings, Huntington and Tippecanoe counties, were the matters of business before the state board of charities and corrections Monday at its meeting in the office of Gov. Ralston. The governor presided at the meeting. New institutions or extensive remodeling of the present buildings were deemed necessary.

The board also took up the problem of feeble-minded children, noting the increasingly large numbers in orphanages. This, it was said, was due partly to inability to place the children in proper schools.

DESERVES UNSTINTED
APPROVAL

If this democratic administration had performed no other public service than the enactment of the federal reserve act, it would deserve the unstinted approval of a grateful nation. Thanks to democracy and to democracy's great leader, the business man who is struggling to establish himself may now work out his destiny without living in terror of panics and hard times. The toiler in the factory may play his tasks in security, knowing that his employer's business is safe from assault. The farmer who must borrow to move his crops may do so without spending his days in anxiety, his nights in nightmares of foreclosure and disaster. Truly the scholar-statesman, whose rod has struck the golden rock of America's resources, to set free the wealth imprisoned for half a century, is a Moses who has led America's industries from the wilderness of doubt and despair to the promised land of prosperity and hope.—From Gov. Glynn's keynote speech at the democratic convention.

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HOW COULD HE MISS?

Here we have a picture of a fellow, both eyes closed, blazing away into a dense flock of birds.

Now, we suppose there ARE chaps who could miss an old muley cow at ten paces—

But, when the game flies as thick as THESE birds fly, it is merely a matter of PULLING the TRIGGER! Unless your gun is LOADED with FEATHERS, you are bound to drop SOME!

The NEWS-TIMES is read every day by between 40,000 and 50,000 people.

If you WANT a thing, make the fact KNOWN! How in the world would it be POSSIBLE for YOU to clearly express ANY honest, legitimate WANT to these thousands of readers, all of them human and interested in much the SAME things that YOU are, without hitting a responsive chord SOMEWHERE?

SAY GERMANS PREPARE
TO ABANDON KOVEL

International News Service:
LONDON, Aug. 1.—A wireless dispatch from Rome states that Germany is removing great quantities of wood and munitions as well as many heavy guns from Kovel in preparation for abandoning that vicinity, and that Vladimira-Volynski, to the south, has already been evacuated.

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